

ADMITS PURPOSE TO BOOST PRICES

Contractor Tells Committee Objects of Cut Stone Association

TO END ALL COMPETITION

By the Associated Press. New York, Nov. 4.—The International Cut Stone Contractors' Association, with headquarters in Indianapolis, was under fire at today's hearing of the joint legislative committee investigating the "building trust."

Henry Hanlein, one of New York's largest cut stone contractors, was questioned at length regarding activities of the association, which, he said, included in its membership virtually all soft stone contractors, jobbers and quarrymen of the country. The granite and hard stone men have a separate organization, he explained.

WOMEN IN RESEARCH WORK

Club Representatives Consider Cooperation With Bureau. A general conference was held yesterday afternoon at the City Club by members of the Bureau of Municipal Research, with representatives from at least a dozen women's organizations present.

E. T. Paxton, secretary of the bureau, presided and explained that the purpose of the meeting was to decide on an organized method of approach in making known to the citizens the nature and activities of the bureau and the mutual benefits that may be derived by co-operating in civic efforts.

Other speakers were J. N. Hagedorn, Dr. Martha Tracy, of the Woman's Medical College, and also a member of the executive board of the bureau, and Dr. Frederick P. Greenberg, the director.

SPECIAL OFFICER ACCUSED

H. G. Wright and Associate Abused Boy, Is Charge. Charged with brutality in connection with the arrest of a boy playing ball yesterday, Special Officer Harold G. Wright, of the Thirty-ninth street and Lancaster avenue police station, was ordered to appear before the police trial board yesterday by Superintendent of Police Mills.

Another officer accused is William Mangel, of the same district. The complaints were entered by several women who said they were injured when they protested against the alleged brutality when the boy, Francis Smart, seven-year-old, of 403 North Thirty-second street, was arrested.

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\$1500 IN JEWELRY STOLEN

Thief Ransacks Home in North Sixteenth Street. Fifteen hundred dollars' worth of jewelry and valuables were stolen from the home of Mrs. K. V. Curdes, 3232 North Sixteenth street, late yesterday, by a thief who gained entrance either by forcing a window or by use of a false key, it was reported to the police today.

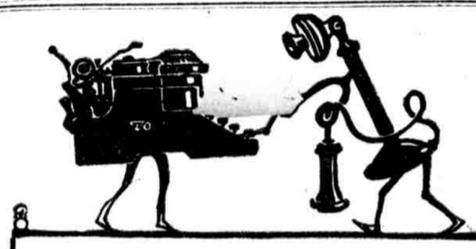
TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

Paul Ralph Helmsman, 137 N. 9th st., and Emily Turner, 4412 N. 17th st., and Giovanni Lagomani, 2714 S. Randolph st., and Rosa Cipriani, Berwyn, Pa.

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EXPLOSION IN FIRE, 11TH AND FILBERT

Several Firemen Are Stunned by Blast That Shatters Windows in Building

WAIST FACTORY DAMAGED

Fire at 12:01 o'clock this morning swept the third floor of a loft building at the southeast corner of Eleventh and Filbert streets, causing a loss estimated at nearly \$20,000.

A mysterious explosion which occurred while firemen were groping through the dense smoke to find the base of the flames spread the fire to all sections of the third floor.

18 CHICKENS TOO MANY

Montgomery County Judge Says Two Years to Poultry Expert. Robert Jackson, veteran chicken thief, renewed acquaintance with Montgomery county judges yesterday when he pleaded guilty to stealing eighteen chickens, a supply of Thanksgiving food, and drew a sentence of two years in prison, the stiffest yet meted out to him.

BUSINESS MAN WANTED

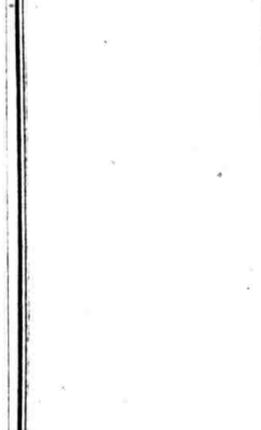
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WOMEN USE THEIR BRAINS, SAYS CAMDEN'S NEW JUDGE

Miss Kemble, Elected Justice of Peace, Refutes Old Theory About Instinct and Intuition

Don't you believe it! Women are not fly-by-night thinkers. They do not change their minds often than men. They do not use their well-known intuition when they ought to dig deep into the bump of logic.

These concise little blazes at familiar tradition were dealt today in the form of crisp but quietly spoken sentences. They came from one who ought to know—Miss Martha Kemble, official address, Justice of the Peace-elect, Seventh ward, Camden, Camden County, N. J.

Having a wealth of soft light hair, dark grey eyes and prettily flushed cheeks need not interfere with a young lady's political career. Miss Kemble did not say so this morning when interviewed at the First National Bank in Camden, where she is employed as a telephone operator.

TAXI DRIVERS STRIKE

Quaker City Co. Men Want Higher Pay. Chauffeurs of the Quaker City Taxicab Co. struck this morning for higher wages.

AUTO BURNS ON STREET

An automobile owned by Theodore Galyrewitz, of 124 North Twenty-second street, took fire today at 11:45 o'clock near Twenty-first and Arch streets and little was left of the machine but the engine and chassis when the flames were extinguished by firemen from Engine Co. No. 43.

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PROBE WRIGLEY'S DEATH

District Attorney Botan is conducting a further investigation into the death of Miss Mary Brady, of 722 Spruce street, who was struck last Thursday night by an automobile driven by Magistrate Byron F. Wrigley.

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